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16	G.S.R. 171, dated 7th February, 1959.	Ministry of Food and Agriculture.	Amendment in the Inter-Zonal Wheat Movement Control Order, 1957.
17	G.S.R. 172, dated 9th February, 1959.	Do.	Direction that powers in relation to fixation of minimum prices of rice and paddy payable to cultivators in the State of Orissa, be exercisable also by the Government of the said State.
18	G.S.R. 173, dated 9th February, 1959.	Rajya Sabha Secretariat.	Amendment in the Rajya Sabha Secretariat (Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 1957.
	G.S.R. 174, dated 9th February, 1959.	Do.	Amendment in the Rajya Sabha Secretariat (Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 1957.
19	G.S.R. 175, dated 9th February, 1959.	Ministry of Law	The Constitution (Application to Jammu and Kashmir) Amendment Order, 1959.
20	G.S.R. 199, dated 10th February, 1959.	Ministry of Finance.	President making rule that all agreements and other documents etc., required to be executed in connection with the technical assistance to His Majesty's Government of Nepal, shall be authenticated on behalf of the President by the Director, Indian Aid Mission, Nepal.
21	G.S.R. 200, dated 10th February, 1959.	Ministry of Home Affairs.	The Bombay Village Industries Board (Reconstitution) Order, 1959.

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PART II—Section 3—Sub-section (i)

General Statutory Rules (including orders, bye-laws etc. of a general character) issued by the Ministries of the Government of India (other than the Ministry of Defence) and by Central Authorities (other than the Administrations of Union Territories).

MINISTRY OF LAW (Department of Legal Affairs)

New Delhi, the 11th February 1959

G.S.R. 203.—[Contracts/Amdt.1].—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 299 of the Constitution, the President hereby directs that the following amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Law No. G.S.R. 1161, dated the 1st December, 1958 relating to the execution of contracts and assurances of property, namely:—

In the said notification,—

1. In Part III which relates to the Ministry of Defence—
 - (a) under Head 'C', item 2 shall be renumbered as item 3 and before item 3 as so renumbered, the following item shall be inserted, namely:—
 - “2. All contracts and agreements relating to washing of mess linen at the National Defence Academy; by the Commandant, National Defence Academy.”
 - (b) under Head 'E', after clause (ii) of item 1, the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—
 - “(iii) Agreements entered into with civilian boys or the parents/guardians of civilian boys selected for admission to the boy apprentices' training scheme; by the Officer Commanding the Army Base Workshop where the boys are to be trained.”;
 - (c) under Head 'H'—
 - (i) for the words Flag Officer (Flotilla) “Indian Fleet,” “Commodore-in-charge, Bombay”, and “Naval Officer-in-charge, Vizagapatam” wherever they occur, the words “Flag Officer Commanding Indian Fleet”, “Flag Officer, Bombay” and “Commodore East Coast, Vizagapatam”, shall respectively be substituted.
 - (ii) after item 10, the following item shall be inserted, namely:—
 - “11. Contracts for washing of boat and sickbay linen of the Indian Naval Ships; by the Flag Officer Commanding, Indian Fleet.”
2. in part XV which relates to the Ministry of Rehabilitation—
 - (a) in item 6, the words “or the Property Attaché” shall be omitted;
 - (b) items 7, 8 and 9 shall be renumbered as items 10, 11 and 12 respectively, and before item 10 as so renumbered, the following items shall be inserted, namely:—
 - “7. Agreements with displaced persons and other residents of India in connection with the disbursement of sale proceeds of evacuee moveable property received from the Government of Pakistan under the Indo-Pakistan Moveable Property Agreement; by the Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Ministry of Rehabilitation, New Delhi. |
 8. Agreements with displaced persons and other residents of India in connection with the delivery of evacuee fire-arms received from the Government of Pakistan under the Indo-Pakistan Moveable Property Agreement; by the District Magistrate by whom the fire-arms is delivered.
 9. Agreements with displaced persons and other residents of India in connection with the delivery of jewellery etc., received from the Government of Pakistan under the Indo-Pakistan Moveable Property Agreement; by the Officer-in-Charge, Central Claims Organisation Ministry of Rehabilitation.”;

3. in Part XIX, under Head 'F' (which relates to the Directorate General of Supplies and Disposals and the India Supply Mission, Washington)—

- (a) in item 1—
 - (i) at the end of clause (c), the word "and" shall be inserted;
 - (ii) clause "(d)" and the word "and" at the end of that clause shall be omitted; and
 - (iii) Clause "(e)" shall be relettered as clause "(d)";
- (b) Items 2 to 6 shall be renumbered as items 3 to 7, respectively before item 3 as so renumbered, the following item shall be inserted, namely:—

"2(a) All contracts and instruments relating to disposal of surplus, obsolete and waste stores located in India and belonging to the Defence Services, Civil Departments of the Government of India, State Governments or quasi-Government institutions such as Port Trusts, Port Commissioners etc., the Government of the United Kingdom or other foreign Governments; by the Deputy Secretary to Government of India in the Ministry of Works, Housing and Supply, the Director General of Supplies and Disposals, Deputy Director General (Supplies and Disposals), Directors, Deputy Directors Assistant Directors (Grade I) and Assistant Directors (Grade II) of Disposals.

(b) All contracts and instruments relating to disposal of surplus and obsolete and waste stores located in the United States of America and belonging to the Defence Services, Civil Departments of the Government of India, State Governments or quasi-Government institutions such as Port Trusts, Port Commissioners etc., by the Director (India Supply Mission) Washington or Deputy Directors or Assistant Directors working under him.

(c) All contracts and instruments relating to disposal of surplus, obsolete or waste stores located in the United Kingdom and belonging to the Defence Services, Civil Departments of the Government of India, State Governments or quasi-Government institutions such as Port Trusts, Port Commissioners etc.; by the Director General (India Stores Department) London, Deputy Director General (India Stores Department) London, Directors of Purchase, Deputy Directors of Purchase, Controllers and Senior Executive Officers of the India Stores Department, London."

[No. F. 17(1)/59-J.]

New Delhi, the 17th February 1959

G.S.R. 204.—(Contracts/Amdt. 2).—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 299 of the Constitution, the President hereby directs that the following further amendment shall be made in the Notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Law, No. G.S.R. 1161 dated the 1st December, 1958, relating to the execution of contracts and assurances of property, namely:—

In the said Notification, in Part XVII under the head A which relates to the Department of Iron and Steel, in item 2, after the words 'the Deputy Iron and Steel Controller', the words or the Price and Accounts Officer' shall be inserted.

[No. F. 17(1)/59-J.]

P. K. BOSE, Dy. Secy-

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

New Delhi, the 16th February 1959

G.S.R. 205.—In pursuance of rule 11 of the Indian Police Service (Pay) Rules, 1954, the Central Government hereby makes the following further amendment in Schedule III to the said Rules, namely:—

In the said Schedule, under the heading "C-Posts carrying pay above the time-scale or special pay in addition to pay in the time-scale under the Central Government when held by members of the Service",

after the entries in the second, third and fourth columns relating to 'Inspector General of Police' against "Special Police Establishment" in the first column, the following shall be inserted, namely:—
"Deputy Inspectors, General of Police, 1450-50-1650 200".

[No. 1/14/59-AIS(II).]

S. NARAYANSWAMY, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

(Department of Revenue)

CUSTOMS

New Delhi, the 21st February 1959

G.S.R. 206.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 43B of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (8 of 1878), as in force in India and as applied to the State of Pondicherry, the Central Government hereby makes the following amendment in the notification of the Government of India, in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No. 296-Customs dated the 6th December, 1958, namely:—

In the Schedule to the said notification, after entry 69, the following entry shall be added, namely:—

"70 Furniture made of stainless steel tubes".

[No. 27/F. No. 34/236/58.Cus-IV.]

G.S.R. 207.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 43B of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (8 of 1878), as in force in India and as applied to the State of Pondicherry, the Central Government hereby makes the following further amendment in the Customs Duties Drawback (Brand Rates) Rules, 1958, the same having previously published as required under the said sub-section (3), namely:—

Amendment

After the existing entries, in the First Schedule to the said Rules, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"13 Furniture made of stainless steel tubes".

[No. 28/F. No. 34/236/58. Cus-IV.]

M. A. RANGASWAMY, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

New Delhi, the 10th February 1959

G.S.R. 208.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 13 of the Central Silk Board Act, 1948 (61 of 1948), the Central Government hereby makes the following further amendment in the Central Silk Board Rules, 1955, published with the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry No. S. R. O. 662, dated the 23rd March, 1955, namely:—

In the said rules, in sub-rule (6) of rule 35, for the word and figures "Rs. 700" the word and figures "Rs. 2,000." shall be substituted.

[No. 23/60/53/HS(2).]

A. J. MUKERJEE, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF STEEL, MINES AND FUEL

(Department of Mines & Fuel)

New Delhi, the 12th February 1959

G.S.R. 209.—In continuation of the draft amendments published with the notification of the Government of India, Department of Mines and Fuel (Ministry of Steel, Mines and Fuel) G.S.R. 1178 dated the 8th December, 1958 the

following draft of an amendment to the Coal Mines (Conservation and Safety) Rules 1954, which the Central Government proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 17 of the Coal Mines (Conservation and Safety) Act, 1952 (12 of 1952) is published as required by sub-section (1) of the said section for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 20th March, 1959.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft before the date so specified will be considered by the Central Government.

Draft amendment

In rule 43 of the said rules, for the words, brackets and figures "sub-rule (3) of rule 39", the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"sub-rule (3), (3A) or (3B) of rule 39".

[No. C5-5(3)/58.]

CHHEDI LAL, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS

(Department of Transport)

(Transport Wing)

PORTS

New Delhi, the 13th February 1959

G.S.R. 210.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 3 of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (15 of 1908), the Central Government is pleased to authorise Shri P. J. Faria, Pilot, Vizagapatam Port, to pilot all vessels in and out of the Port of Vizagapatam with effect from the 12th June, 1958.

[No. 17-PE(11)/59.]

MISS I. INDIRA, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

(Department of Agriculture)

New Delhi, the 12th February 1959

G.S.R. 211.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution, the President hereby makes the following rules regulating recruitment to certain Class I and Class II posts at the Central Fisheries Technological Research Station, Cochin, under the Ministry of Food and Agriculture (Department of Agriculture), namely:—

1. Short Title.—These rules may be called the Central Fisheries Technological Research Station (Recruitment to Class I and Class II posts) Rules, 1958.

2. Application etc.—These rules shall apply for recruitment to posts specified in column 1 of the Schedule to these rules and the number of posts, the classification thereof and the scales of pay shall be as specified in columns 2 to 4 of the said Schedule.

3. Qualifications etc.—The age limit, the qualifications for recruitment and the methods of recruitment to said posts and other matters shall be as specified in columns 5 to 13th of the aforesaid Schedule.

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*Recruitment Rules for the posts of Assistant
Assistant Director (Processing) & Technologists in the Department of Agriculture for Central*

Name of Post	No. of posts	Classification	Scale of Pay	Whether selection post or non-selection post	Age limit for direct recruitment
1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Assistant Director (Craft)	1	G.C.S. Class I (Junior) Gazetted.	Rs. 350—350—380 —380—30—590— EB—30—770— 40—850	Below 35 years	
2. Assistant Director (Gear.)	1	G.C.S. Class I (Junior) Gazetted.	Rs. 350—350—380 380—30—590— EB—30—770— 40—850	Below 35 years	

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Director (Craft), Assistant Director (Gear)

Fisheries Technical Research, Cochin, M/O Food & Agriculture

Educational and other *qualifications required	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for the direct rectt. will apply in the promotees	Period of rectt. if any	Method of rectt. whether by direct rectt. or by por- tion or by motion	In case of rectt. by promotion/transfer grades from which promotion to be made	If a DPC exists what is its composition	Circumstances in which UPSC. is to be consulted in making rectt.
		7	8	9	10	11
					12	13

Essential —

(i) Degree in Science,
OR
Degree/diploma in Mechanical Engineering from a recognised University or Institution.

(ii) Adequate practical training and/or experience in marine fisheries and fishing.

One year

Direct recruitment

As required under the rules.

Desirable

Experience of boat construction.

Essential —

(i) Degree in Science,
OR
Degree/diploma in Mechanical Engineering from a recognised University or Institution.

(ii) Adequate practical training and/or experience in marine fisheries and fishing.

One year

Direct recruitment

As required under the rules.

Qualifications relaxable at Commission's discretion in case of candidates otherwise well qualified.

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3. Assistant Director (Processing).	1	G.C.S. Class I (Junior) Gazetted.	Rs. 350—350— 380—380—30— 590—EB—30— 770—40—850.	Below 35 years.
4. Technologists	3	G.C.S. Class II (Gazetted).	Rs. 275—25—500 EB—30—650— EB—30—800.	Selection Below 30 years.

7 8 9 10 11 12 13

Desirable —

Practical experience in making and repairing fishing nets used in large power fishing crafts including experience of fishing from power crafts.

Essential —

(i) M.Sc. degree in Chemistry or Biochemistry or Food Technology or equivalent qualification. .. One Direct year recruitment. .. As required under the rules.

(ii) Adequate experience or practical training in methods of fish processing, preservation, freezing storage and utilisation of fish bye-products.

Qualifications relaxable at Commission's discretion in case of candidates otherwise well qualified.

Desirable —

Research experience on problems of Biochemistry or fishery technology.

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Essential —

(i) Degree in Science. Age-No One By direct Promotion: (i) Class II
OR Edu-Yes year recruit- Asstt. Tech- DPC. As required
Degree/diploma in Mechanical Engineering from ment. 50% ologist in under
a recognised University or Institution. By promotion C.F. T.R.S. rules.

(ii) Adequate practical training and/or experience in marine fisheries and fishing.

Qualifications relaxable at Commission's discretion in case of candidates otherwise well qualified.

Desirable —

(i) *For Gear Testing and for Gear Design:* Practical experience in making and repairing fishing nets used in large power fishing crafts including experience of fishing from power crafts.

(ii) *For Craft Design and for Craft Testing:* Experience of boat construction.

(ii) Survey Asstt. in C.M.F.R.S. Mandapam & Calcutta both with at least 3 years' experience of either posts.

*Qualifications relaxable at Commission's discretion in case of candidates otherwise well qualified.

(Department of Agriculture)

New Delhi, the 16th February 1959

G.S.R. 212.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution, the President hereby makes the following amendments to the "Directorate of Economics and Statistics (Inspecting Officers' Recruitment) Rules, 1958" published in Part II Section 3(i) of the Gazette of India weekly dated 27th December, 1958, as G.S.R. 1222 on page 1268, namely:—

In the said rules—

- (1) in rule 2, the words "the number of posts" shall be omitted and for the words and figures "columns 2 to 4", the words and figures "columns 2 and 3" shall be substituted;
- (2) in rule 3, for the words and figures "columns 5 to 13", the words and figures "columns 4 to 12" shall be substituted;
- (3) in the Schedule, column 2 and the entries thereunder shall be omitted and columns 3 to 13 re-numbered as columns 2 to 12 respectively.

[No. F. 9-77/58-C(E).]

B. R. KAPOOR, Under Secy.

(Department of Food)

ORDER

New Delhi, the 17th February 1959

G.S.R. 213.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following amendment in the Rice and Paddy (Assam) Second Price Control Order, 1958, namely:—

Amendment

In the Second Schedule to the said Order, in the table below specification for Winter Sali Assam Paddy, in the entry in column 3 against item A.2 'Admixture of lower grade paddy', for the word and figures "Re. 0.69", the word and figures "Re. 0.09" shall be substituted.

2. The amendment hereby made shall be deemed to have been made and to have come into force on the 20th December, 1958.

[No. 201(21)A/268/59-PY. II.]

S. N. BHALLA, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

CORRIGENDUM

New Delhi, the 14th February 1959

G.S.R. 214.—In the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Health No. G.S.R. 131, published at page 212 of the Gazette of India, Part II, Section 3(i), dated the 31st January, 1959, for the words and figures "29th February, 1959" read "28th February, 1959".

[No. F. 14-83/59-PH.]

T. V. ANANTANARAYANAN, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF WORKS, HOUSING & SUPPLY

New Delhi, the 11th February 1959

G.S.R. 215.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 7 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (4 of 1884), the Central Government hereby makes the following further amendments to the Explosives Rules, 1940, the same having been previously published as required by section 18 of the said Act, namely:—

In the said Rules—

1. In sub rule (4) of rule 31,—

(a) in Clause (i), the word “and” shall be omitted;

(b) after Clause (ii), the following Clause shall be inserted namely:—

“(iii) to the Superintendent of Police of the District where the consignor's licensed premises are situated; and

(iv) to the Superintendent of Police of the District in whose jurisdiction the place to which the consignment is sent is situated”;

2. after rule 87, the following rule shall be inserted namely:—

“87A.—Procedure on grant of licence for transport. A copy of every licence granted by the District Authority in form 'G' shall be forwarded to the Superintendent of Police of the District.”

[No. S&P. II-3(17)/58.]

J. G. KUMARAMANGALAM, Dy. Secy.

(Central Boilers Board)

New Delhi, the 14th February 1959

G.S.R. 216.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 28 of the Indian Boilers Act, 1923 (5 of 1923), the Central Boilers Board hereby makes the following further amendments in the Indian Boiler Regulations, 1950, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section 31 of the said Act, namely:—

In the said regulations, for the third paragraph of regulation 250, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“Before welding of the joint is commenced (apart from tack welding) it shall be ascertained that the chamfered edges are in alignment and that the defects in alignment between the surface of the plates do not exceed the following limits:—

10 per cent. of the nominal plate thickness, with a maximum of 3 mm (1/8 inch) for longitudinal joints.

10 per cent. of the nominal plate thickness, plus 1 mm (3/64 inch), with a maximum of 4 mm (5/32 inch) for circumferential joints.

If plate edges of unequal thickness are abutted and the difference between the surfaces exceeds the limit mentioned as above on either side, the thicker plate shall be thinned to a smooth taper for a distance not less than 4 times the offset, including, if so desired, the width of the weld. In longitudinal joints, the middle lines of the plates shall be in alignment within 10 per cent. of the thickness of the thicker plate with a maximum of 3 mm (1/8 inch).”

[No. S&PII/BL-9(4)/58.]

M. N. KALE, Secy.

MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING

New Delhi, the 16th February 1959

G.S.R. 217(CIS).—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the President hereby makes the following rules, namely:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—These rules may be called the Central Information Service Rules, 1959.

2. Definitions.—(a) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires—

(a) "Commission" means the Union Public Service Commission;

(b) "departmental candidate" means—

(i) a person in the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting or any of its attached and subordinate offices who was holding, or would have held, but for his absence on deputation, a duty post, on the 1st November, 1957, and

who is holding, or has a lien on, a duty post in a substantive capacity at the commencement of these rules; or

who has been declared quasi-permanent in a duty post on, or prior to, the 1st July 1957; or

who was eligible to be declared quasi-permanent in a duty post on, or on any date prior to, the 1st July, 1957; or

who was appointed to a duty post on the basis of selection by the Commission or whose appointment thereto was approved by the Commission, before the commencement of these rules;

(ii) any other person in the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting or any of its attached and subordinate offices whom the Government may declare as such on the basis of his qualifications and experience;

(c) "duty post" means any post, whether permanent or temporary, of a category specified in Schedules I to VI.

(d) "Government" means the Central Government;

(e) "grade" means a grade specified in Rule 4;

(f) "Schedule" means a schedule to these Rules;

(g) "Service" means the Central Information Service constituted under Rule 3.

3. Constitution of the Central Information Service.—With effect from such date as the Central Government may fix, there shall be constituted a Service to be known as the Central Information Service consisting of:—

(a) persons appointed to the Service in a substantive capacity under Rule 5; and

(b) persons appointed to the Service in a substantive capacity after such date, either by direct recruitment or by selection, as laid down in these Rules.

4. Grades and Authorised Strength.—(a) There shall be the following grades of the Service:—

(i) Senior Administrative Grade	{	Class I (Gazetted)
(ii) Junior Administrative Grade		
(iii) Grade I.		
(iv) Grade II.		

(v) Grade III—Class II (Gazetted) Non-ministerial.

(vi) Grade IV—Class II (Non-Gazetted) Non-ministerial.

(b) The authorised permanent strength of each grade of the Service shall be fixed at its initial constitution and thereafter reviewed and fixed every year.

5. Initial Constitution of the Service.—(1) The Commission shall constitute a Selection Committee with the Chairman or a Member of the Commission as President and not more than three representatives of the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting as members, to determine the suitability of departmental candidates for appointment to the different grades and to prepare an order of preference for each grade for the initial constitution of the Service;

(2) On receipt of the Committee's report, the Commission shall forward its recommendations to the Government and such recommendations may include a recommendation that a person considered suitable for appointment to a grade may, if a sufficient number of vacancies are not available in that grade, be appointed to a lower grade;

(3) Vacancies in any grade which remain unfilled after the appointment of departmental candidates selected under sub-rules (1) and (2) above shall be filled by direct recruitment through the Commission.

6. Maintenance of the Service.—After the initial constitution of the Service has been completed in accordance with Rule 5, future vacancies shall be filled in the manner prescribed below:

(A) Grade IV.

(i) Pay: Rs. 200—10—250—EB—15—400.

(ii) *Recruitment:*

Vacancies in this grade shall be filled in the first instance from amongst departmental candidates who, though considered suitable by the Commission for appointment to the Service under Rule 5 were not appointed at its initial constitution for want of sufficient vacancies and who are holding duty posts in any grade; and if sufficient number of such candidates is not available, then through an open competitive examination to be held by the Commission in the manner prescribed in Schedule VII.

(B) Grade III.

(i) Pay: Rs. 300—25—500—EB—30—620.

(ii) *Recruitment:*

25% of the vacancies in this grade shall be filled on the basis of an open competitive examination, to be held by the Commission in the manner prescribed in Schedule VII.

The remaining vacancies in this grade shall be filled by selection from amongst officers who have been recommended by the Commission under Rule 5 above for appointment to a duty post in a grade not lower than Grade III and if sufficient number of such officers is not available then on the basis of a departmental competitive examination to be held in the manner prescribed in Schedule VII from amongst officers who have completed 5 years' service in a duty post in Grade IV.

(C) Grade II.

(i) Pay: Rs. 350—350—380—380—30—590—EB—30—770—40—850.

(ii) *Recruitment:*

(1) 50% of the vacancies in this grade shall be filled through an open competitive examination to be held by the Commission in the manner prescribed in Schedule VII.

(2) 50% of the vacancies shall be filled by selection, from amongst officers holding duty posts in Grade III or any higher grade, on the basis of the recommendations of a Departmental Promotion Committee.

(D) Grade I.

(i) Pay: Rs. 600—40—1,000—50/2—1,150.

The posts of Chief News Editor, News Services Division, Public Relations Officer, Press Information Bureau and Director of Monitoring Services, All India Radio, will carry a special pay of Rs. 100/- p.m.

(ii) *Recruitment:*

(1) 25% of the vacancies in this grade shall be filled through an open competitive examination to be held by the Commission in the manner prescribed in Schedule VII.

(2) 75% of the vacancies shall be filled by selection from amongst officers holding duty posts in Grade II or any higher grade, on the basis of the recommendations of a Departmental Promotion Committee.

(E) Junior Administrative Grade.

(i) Pay: 50% of the posts in this grade shall carry a scale of Rs. 1,300—60—1,600 and the remaining 50% shall be in the scale of Rs. 1,000—50—1,400.

Provided that an officer holding a duty post in Grade I, on appointment to a post borne on the Junior Administrative Grade, shall get a minimum benefit of Rs. 150/- over his pay in Grade I.

(ii) *Recruitment:*

(1) Subject to the provisions of paragraph 2 below, vacancies in the grade Rs. 1,000—50—1,400 shall be filled by selection, on the basis of the recommendations of a Departmental Promotion Committee, from amongst officers holding duty posts in Grade I or any higher grade; vacancies in the grade Rs. 1,300—60—1,600 shall be filled likewise by selection from amongst officers holding duty posts in the grade Rs. 1,000—50—1,400 or any higher grade.

(2) 12½% of the vacancies in the Junior Administrative Grade shall be filled by direct recruitment through the Commission.

(F) *Senior Administrative Grade.*

(i) Pay: Rs. 1,600—100—1,800.

Principal Information Officer: Rs. 1,800—100—2,000.

(ii) *Recruitment:*

Vacancies in this grade shall be filled by selection on the basis of the recommendations of a Departmental Promotion Committee, from amongst officers holding duty posts in the grade Rs. 1,300—60—1,600 or any higher grade. In case the Committee recommend that no suitable officer is available for such promotion, recruitment to such vacancies shall be made in consultation with the Commission.

7. Probation.—(1) The period of probation of candidates appointed by direct recruitment shall be as follows:—

Junior Administrative Grade.	1 year.
Grade I	2 years.
Grade II.	2 years (including one year's training).
Grade III.	2 years.
Grade IV.	1 year.

(ii) If the work or conduct of an officer on probation is unsatisfactory, he may be discharged from service or his period of probation extended for such further period as the Government may deem fit. If his work or conduct is such as to show that he is unlikely to become efficient, he may be discharged forthwith.

(iii) Officers on probation shall start on the minimum of the time-scale of the grade to which they are appointed and will count their service, for increment, from the date of joining.

8. State Publicity Personnel.—The Government may fill, in consultation with the Commission, in any grade a number of posts not exceeding 10% of the strength of that grade, by the appointment of officers of the State Publicity Organizations, on deputation, for such period not exceeding 5 years, as the Government may specify. The posts so filled shall be taken into account in determining the number of posts to be filled by promotion or by direct recruitment.

9. Deputation.—The Government may require any member of the Service to hold for a specified period a post in the publicity organization of a Union Territory.

10. Reservations.—The orders issued from time to time regarding the reservation of vacancies for members of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes shall apply to each grade.

11. Pay Fixation.—The pay of a departmental candidate appointed to any grade at the initial constitution of the Service shall be fixed in accordance with such orders as the Government may issue.

12. Other conditions of Service.—The conditions of service of members of the Service in respect of matters for which no provision is made in these rules shall be the same as for the time being applicable to other officers of the Government of corresponding status.

13. Relaxation.—The Government may, in consultation with the Commission relax the provisions of these rules to such extent as may be necessary to ensure satisfactory working of the Service or to remove any inequitable results.

14. Regulations.—The Central Government may make regulations, not inconsistent with these rules, to provide for all matters for which provision is necessary or expedient for the purpose of giving effect to these rules.

15. Interpretation.—If any question arises relating to the interpretation of these rules, the decision of the Government thereon shall be final.

SCHEDULE I

[(See rule 2(c)]

Grade IV

Name of Office	Designation of Posts
All India Radio	Sub-Editor (Indian Languages) (News Service Division Sub-Editor Class I } (Monitoring Service Sub-Editor Class II } Sub-Editor (Betar Jagat & Vanoli) Publicity Assistant (A.I.R. Stations).
Press Information Bureau	Information Assistant Translator-Assistant Journalist.
Publications Division	Sub-Editor (Hindi) Sub-Editor (Indian Listener) Reference Assistant.
Films Division	Research Assistant Junior Research Assistant Publicity Assistant Junior Publicity Assistant Commentary Writer (Indian Languages).
Registrar of Newspapers	Registration Assistant.
Research & Reference Division	Research Assistant Documentation Assistant.
Directorate of Advertising Visual Publicity	Sub-Editor (Indian Languages) Field Exhibition Officer.
Directorate of Field Publicity	Field Publicity Officer/Mass Contact Officer Publicity Organiser Exhibition Assistant.

SCHEDULE II

[See rule 2(c)]

Grade III

Name of Office	Designation of Posts
All India Radio :	
News Services Division	Correspondent Assistant News Editor Assistant News Editor (Monitoring) Sub-Editor (English) Assistant News Reporter. Sub-Editor (Monitoring) Reference Officer.
Monitoring Services	Assistant Director
External Services Division	Journalist.
Betar Jagat, Van and Vanoli	Assistant Editor.
Headquarters	Publicity Assistant.
Press Information Bureau	Assistant Information Officer Assistant Feature Writer Assistant Campaign Officer.

Name of Office	Designation of Posts
<i>Publications Division</i>	Asstt. Editor (Indian Listener Awaz & Sarang) Asstt. Editor. Asstt. Editor (India Calling)
<i>Directorate of Advertising & Visual Publicity</i>	Assistant Director Copy Writer Regional Exhibition Officer.
<i>Registrar of Newspapers</i>	Registration Supervisor.
<i>Films Division</i>	Assistant Director (Indian Language Commentaries) Scenario Writer.

SCHEDULE III

[(See rule 2(c)]]

Grade II

Name of Office	Designation of Posts
<i>All India Radio :</i>	
<i>News Services Division</i>	Assistant News Editor News Reporter.
<i>External Services Division</i>	Assistant Talks Officer.
<i>Press Information Bureau.</i>	Assistant Information Officer.
<i>Publications Division.</i>	Assistant Editor.
<i>Research & Reference Division.</i>	Assistant Research Officer.

SCHEDULE IV

[See rule 2(c)]]

Grade I

Name of Office	Designation of Posts
<i>All India Radio:</i>	
<i>News Services Division</i>	Chief News Editor News Editor Senior Correspondent.
<i>Monitoring Services</i>	Director.
<i>External Services Division</i>	Talks Officer.
<i>Press Information Bureau</i>	Information Officer Campaign Officer Public Relations Officer Feature Writer.
<i>Publications Division</i>	Editor (Indian Listener) Editor.

Name of office	Designation of Posts.
<i>Films Division</i>	Director English Commentaries. Assistant Producer (Newsreels) Assistant Chief Producer (Newsreels) Public Relations Officer.
<i>Directorate of Advertising & Visual Publicity</i>	Campaign Officer.
<i>Research & Reference Division</i>	Research Officer.
<i>Directorate of Field Publicity</i>	Regional Officer.
<i>Ministry of Information & Broadcasting</i>	Campaign Officer.

SCHEDULE V.

[See rule 2(c)]

Junior Administrative Grade

Name of Office	Designation of Posts
<i>All India Radio</i>	Senior Deputy Director of News.
<i>Press Information Bureau</i>	Armed Forces Information Officer. Deputy Principal Information Officer.
<i>Publications Division</i>	Deputy Director. Chief Editor 'Yojana'.
<i>Directorate of Advertising & Visual Publicity</i>	Deputy Director.
<i>Research & Reference Division</i>	Deputy Director.
<i>Directorate of Field Publicity</i>	Director.
<i>Ministry of Information & Broadcasting</i>	Officer on Special Duty (Kashmir Publicity)

SCHEDULE VI

[(See rule 2(c)]

Senior Administrative Grade.

Director of News Services (All India Radio)
 Principal Information Officer.
 Director, Publications Division.
 Director of Advertising & Visual Publicity.
 Registrar of Newspapers for India.

SCHEDULE VII

(See rule 6)

Conditions of eligibility of candidates and syllabus etc., for examination for recruitment to the Service.

1. Grade IV

(a) A candidate for this grade must have:

- (i) a degree of a recognised Indian or foreign University with a diploma in journalism or at least one year's journalistic experience on a newspaper or news agency or a publicity organization of standing; and
- (ii) attained the age of 21 years but must not have attained the age of 23 years, on a date to be specified in this behalf in the notice of the examination.

(b) The examination for appointment to this grade shall be on the same lines as for Grade III.

NOTE.—Candidates will be arranged in order of merit as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each candidate.

2. Grade III.

(a) A candidate for Grade III must have:

- (i) a degree of a recognised Indian or foreign University;
- (ii) at least 3 years journalistic experience on a newspaper or news agency or a publicity organization of standing, and
- (iii) attained the age of 25 years but must not have attained the age of 30 years on a date to be specified in this behalf in the notice of the examination.

(b) The examination will be conducted according to the following plan:

(i) Part I

Papers:	Marks:
(1) Current Affairs	100
(2) Translation from English to an Indian Language	50
(3) Translation from an Indian Language to English	50
(4) Essay in the Indian Language concerned	100
(5) Indian History and Culture	100
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(ii) Part II (Viva-voce)

A viva-voce for such of the candidates as are called by the Commission, carrying 200 marks.

(c) The departmental test for selection to this grade of the Service will be on the following lines:

(i) Papers:	Marks:
(1) Newscasting and Editing	100
(2) Indian History and Culture	100
(3) Newspaper feature articles from material supplied	100
(4) Newspaper feature articles in the regional language of the candidate	100
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(ii) A viva-voce for such of the candidates as are asked to appear before the Authority appointed for this purpose, carrying 200 marks. In addition, 200 marks will be reserved for record of service.

NOTE.—Candidates will be arranged in order of merit as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each candidate.

3. Grade II.

(a) Conditions of eligibility of candidates and subjects for the examination for recruitment to this grade shall be the same as the Combined Competitive Examination for recruitment to the Central Services Class I:

Provided that the upper age limit shall be relaxable up to 3 years for the candidates who are permanent members of Grade III or Grade IV or have a continuous temporary service of at least 3 years on the 1st August of the year in which they are candidates for this examination.

Provided further that such candidates shall obtain prior permission of the Head of the Department to appear for this examination.

(b) A candidate who is selected on the basis of this Examination will be given training on a newspaper or a news agency for at least six months and in different media units of the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, for another six months. During the training, he will have to pass a departmental test which will include a language test. Thereafter, he will be on probation for one year. Failure to pass the departmental test during the training period involves liability to discharge from Service or reversion to substantive post, if any, on which the candidate may hold lien.

4. Grade I.

(A) A candidate for Grade I must have:

- (i) a degree of a recognised Indian or foreign University,
- (ii) at least five years experience, in a responsible capacity, on a newspaper, news agency, or a publicity organization of standing, and
- (iii) attained the age of 27 years but must not have attained the age of 35 years, on a date to be specified in this behalf in the notice of the examination.

(B) The examination will be conducted according to the following plan:

(a) *Part I:*

Subjects:	Marks:
(i) General Knowledge of Current Affairs	100
(ii) one paper to test the professional competence of the candidate	150
(iii) one paper on Indian History & Culture	150
(iv) one paper on an Indian language	100
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(b) *Part II*

A personality test for such candidates as may be called by the Commission for interview carrying 200 marks.

NOTE.—Candidates will be arranged in order of merit as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each candidate.

5. The upper age limits prescribed in paras 1—4 above shall be relaxable:

- (i) Up to a maximum of five years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe.
- (ii) Up to a maximum of three years if a candidate is a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu & Kashmir.

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at three previous examinations.

- (iii) Up to a maximum of eight years if a candidate belongs to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe and is also a *bona fide* displaced person from Pakistan or from the unliberated areas of Jammu & Kashmir.

This concession will not, however, be admissible to a candidate who has already appeared at eight previous examinations.

- (iv) Up to a maximum of three years if a candidate is a resident of the former French Settlements which have now become part of India and has been receiving his education through the medium of French

- (v) Up to a maximum of four years if a candidate is a resident of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

6. A candidate for any of the grades must be in good mental and bodily health and free from physical defect likely to interfere with the discharge of his duties as an officer of the Service. A candidate who, after such medical examination as may be prescribed under the rules in force, is found not to satisfy

these requirements, shall not be appointed. Only such candidates as are likely to be considered for appointment, will be medically examined.

7. (a) No male candidate who has more than one wife living shall be eligible for appointment to the Service.

Provided that the Central Government may, if satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any person from the operation of this provision.

(b) No female candidate who has married a person having already a wife living will be eligible for appointment to the Service, unless the Government specially exempt such candidates from the operation of this provision.

8. Success in the examination confers no right to appointment unless the Government are satisfied, after such enquiry as may be considered necessary, that the candidate is suitable, in all respects, for appointment to the Service.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Rule 2(b).—Schedules I to VI specify the categories of 'Duty Posts' only for the purpose of determining the eligibility of departmental candidates for the initial constitution of the Service. Simultaneously with the initial constitution of the Service, these Schedule will be substituted by those containing details of the duty posts to be encadred in the Service.

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